

Senate Resolution 1407

By: Senators James of the 35th and Orrock of the 36th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Cliftondale Elementary School family and Principal Dr.
2 Tony Wilcher; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, located in College Park, Georgia, Cliftondale Elementary School is providing
4 students with an environment that is conducive to learning and success; and

5 WHEREAS, since its opening in August, 2009, Cliftondale has demonstrated a commitment
6 to meeting the needs of the community; and

7 WHEREAS, under the leadership and guidance of Principal Dr. Tony Wilcher, Cliftondale's
8 administration has worked diligently and conscientiously with parents, community leaders,
9 and business partners to establish the school's outstanding foundation; and

10 WHEREAS, in its first year, Cliftondale has achieved much success including the
11 establishment of a Success PTA, an IMOMS Chapter, an All Pro Dad Chapter, Boy and Girl
12 Scouts programs, M & M Mentoring Club, Math Club, Art Club, Good News Club, foreign
13 language programs, Junior Beta Club, Safety Patrol, and Student Council; and

14 WHEREAS, students at Cliftondale have benefitted from the school's Health Fair,
15 Father-Daughter Dance, Mother-Son Royal Gala, an educational forum, a school
16 beautification project, and a successful Black History Month Program; and

17 WHEREAS, high expectations for students from faculty, staff, and parents have helped the
18 dedicated students at Cliftondale Elementary School achieve; and

19 WHEREAS, the teachers, administration, and staff of Cliftondale work to ensure students
20 have access to the training and resources necessary to succeed and foster positive
21 relationships and mutual respect; and

22 WHEREAS, by creating a safe, respectful, and nurturing learning environment, Clifftondale
23 enables students to learn with confidence, experience success, and achieve their maximum
24 potential; and

25 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding work of this fine
26 educational institution be appropriately recognized.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
28 recognize Clifftondale Elementary School on its successful first year and commend the
29 excellent achievements and contributions of the students and staff in making their school
30 superior.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
32 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Clifftondale Elementary School Principal
33 Dr. Tony Wilcher.